

# Course Schedule

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Week	Module	Readings (Readings are listed for the second and third edition of the textbook.)	Activities and Assignments	Important Dates	Weight (%)
Week 1	<a href="#">Module 1: Introduction and Research Methods</a>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 1 pages 1-10, 12-17, and 21-26; and Chapter 2 pages 33-68, and 71-78</p> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 1 pages 1-17, 21-25; and Chapter 3 pages 81-107, 111-113</p>	Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a> )	<b>Due:</b> Sunday, May 16, 2021 at 11:55 PM	Each week, there are various learning activities to complete; these activities are worth a combined total of <b>10%</b> of your final grade.
Week 2	<a href="#">Module 2: Theoretical Frameworks</a>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 3 pages 82-130</p> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 2</p>	Review Group membership for <a href="#">Weekly Discussions</a>	Check after Friday, May 21, 2021 at 4:30 PM	
			Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a> )	<b>Due:</b> Sunday, May 23, 2021 at 11:55 PM	
Week 3	<a href="#">Module 3: Sex and Gender</a>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 4 pages 131-170</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exceptions: Please skip the section discussing Relationship Dissolution and its Aftermath (pages 160-162)</li> </ul> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 4 pages 119-125, 132-141, 145-151; Chapter 5 pages 155-164, 168-172, 181-191; Chapter 9 pages 302-303 (Spotlight on CNM); and Chapter 11 pages 355-358</p>	Deadline for opting out of using Turnitin®	Sunday, May 23, 2021 at 11:55 PM	
			Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a> )	<b>Due:</b> Sunday, May 30, 2021 at 11:55 PM	
Week 4	<a href="#">Module 4: Attraction and Mate Selection</a>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 5 pages 171-210</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exceptions: Please skip pages 188-190 (Romantic Attraction in Long-Term vs. Short-Term Relationships) and 208-209 (Courtship: Developing Commitment)</li> </ul> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 7 pages 225-256</p>	Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a> )	<b>Due:</b> Sunday, June 6, 2021 at 11:55 PM	
			<a href="#">Assignment 1: Article Summary</a>	<b>Due:</b> Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at 11:55 PM	<b>20%</b>
Week 5	<a href="#">Module 5: Individuals in Relationships</a>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 6 pages 211-236</p> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 6 pages 193-222</p>	Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a> )	<b>Due:</b> Sunday, June 13, 2021 at 11:55 PM	
Week 6	<a href="#">Module 6: Communication and Intimacy</a>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 7 pages 237-261</p> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 8 pages 259-282; and Chapter 9 pages 287-292, 302-307</p>	Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a> )	<b>Due:</b> Sunday, June 20, 2021 at 11:55 PM	

<p><b>Week 7</b> Spring 2021</p>	<p><u>Module 7: Conflict and Aggression</u></p>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 8 pages 296-297</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exceptions: Please skip the section discussing Quantifying Couple Communication (page 269)</li> </ul> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 10 pages 323-350; and Chapter 11 pages 369-386</p>	<p>PSYCH 354 Online Midterm</p> <p>You must achieve 100% on the <b>Confidentiality Agreement and Statement of Honesty - Midterm</b> quiz before you will be able to access the Online Midterm.</p>	<p>Open University of Waterloo</p> <p>Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 11:55 PM</p> <p><b>Closes:</b> Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at 11:55 PM</p>	
<p><b>Week 8</b></p>	<p><u>Module 8: Beliefs and Values</u></p>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 9 pages 298-335</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exceptions: Please skip the section Similarity in Partner's Beliefs and Values (pages 323-325)</li> </ul> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 12 pages 389-406</p>	<p>Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a>)</p>	<p><b>Due:</b> Sunday, July 4, 2021 at 11:55 PM</p>	
<p><b>Week 9</b></p>	<p><u>Module 9: Meaning, Memory, and Motivated Reasoning</u></p>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 10 pages 336-372</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exceptions: Please skip the sections discussing Selective Attention (page 353), Cognitive Complexity (pages 366-368), and Commitment Calibration Hypothesis (pages 369-370)</li> </ul> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 12 pages 406-425</p>	<p>Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a>)</p>	<p><b>Due:</b> Sunday, July 11, 2021 at 11:55 PM</p>	
<p><b>Week 10</b></p>	<p><u>Module 10: Stress and Context</u></p>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 11 pages 373-415</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exceptions: Please skip the sections discussing Physiological Effects (pages 385-386) and Attributes of Social Networks (pages 409-411)</li> </ul> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 13 pages 429-462</p>	<p>Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a>)</p>	<p><b>Due:</b> Sunday, July 18, 2021 at 11:55 PM</p>	
<p><b>Week 11</b></p>	<p><u>Module 11: Relationship Interventions</u></p>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 12 pages 416-452</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exceptions: Please skip the section discussing Self-PREP Evaluation (page 445)</li> </ul> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 15 pages 505-538</p>	<p>Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a>)</p>	<p><b>Due:</b> Sunday, July 25, 2021 at 11:55 PM</p>	
<p><b>Week 12</b></p>	<p><u>Module 12: Relationships Across the Lifespan</u></p>	<p><b>Second Edition:</b> Chapter 13 pages 453-505</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exceptions: Please skip the section discussing Sibling Relationships and Children's Friendships (pages 462-474)</li> </ul> <p><b>Third Edition:</b> Chapter 14 pages 465-471, 480-503</p>	<p>Learning Activities (See <a href="#">Participation in Weekly Discussions and Learning Activities</a>)</p>	<p><b>Due:</b> Sunday, August 1, 2021 at 11:55 PM</p>	
<p><b>Final Examination</b></p>	<p>The <b>Final Exam</b> quiz will be available from Saturday, August 7, 2021 at 9:00 AM to Monday, August 9, 2021 at 9:00 AM. You must achieve 100% on the <b>Confidentiality Agreement and Statement of Honesty - Final</b> quiz before you will be able to access the Final Exam.</p>	<p><b>30%</b></p>			
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Information about final exams can be found on the [Final examination schedule \(https://uwaterloo.ca/registrar/final-examinations/exam-schedule\)](https://uwaterloo.ca/registrar/final-examinations/exam-schedule) page on the Registrar's website, and their [Important dates \(https://uwaterloo.ca/registrar/important-dates/calendar\)](https://uwaterloo.ca/registrar/important-dates/calendar) page outlines the final examination periods for this term and the following two terms.

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